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**Children's Product Recalls
January 2009 Recap**

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DO YOU WANT MORE INFORMATION ON THESE IMPORTANT RECALLS?

1. **Sign Up For Safety!** You can sign up for e-mail notification of all recalled products at www.recalls.gov.
2. **Check All Recalled Products, Anytime.** Visit the Consumer Product Safety Commission's Web site for a complete list of recalled products at www.cpsc.gov.
3. **Have Questions? Noticed a recalled product being sold in stores or on the secondhand market?** Call the Attorney General's Product Recall Hotline at 1-888-414-7678 (TTY: 1-800-964-3013) or e-mail us at recalls@atg.state.il.us if you have questions or see a recalled product for sale.



HELP KEEP DANGEROUS PRODUCTS OFF THE SECONDHAND MARKET

Attorney General Lisa Madigan's Watchdogs are a group of volunteers who work with the Attorney General's office to monitor Craigslist and eBay postings in their communities for recalled products. These volunteers may also visit their local resale shops, garage sales and yard sales to check for recalled products being sold unknowingly. To join Madigan's Watchdogs, e-mail watchdogs@atg.state.il.us.

Toys

The following is a list of toy recalls issued for the months of January 2009.



"High Speed" Pull Back Toy Cars Recalled on January 13, 2009

The surface paint on the toy cars contains high amounts of lead. The toy cars were sold at small retail stores in Houston and Hidalgo, Texas, from June 2008 through July 2008.



Rolling Toy Xylophones Recalled on January 14, 2009

The pegs on the xylophone can break, posing a choking hazard to children. The xylophones were sold through Land of Nod catalogs, online at www.landofnod.com and at Land of Nod retail stores nationwide from October 2007 through March 2008.



Children's Sunglasses Recalled on January 15, 2009

The surface paint on the recalled sunglasses contains high amounts of lead. The sunglasses were sold at party stores, discount dollar stores and hardware stores nationwide from May 2007 through August 2008.



Infantino Lion and Lamb Grabby Rattles Recalled on January 15, 2009

The tail-piece on the rattles can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children. The rattles were sold at Wal-Mart, Babies "R" Us and other specialty stores nationwide from May 2007 through September 2008.



High School Musical Manicure Kits Recalled on January 27, 2009

The lettering "HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL" with glitter on the pouch for the manicure kit contains high amounts of lead. The manicure kits were sold through LTD Commodities and ABC Distributing catalogs and online at www.lakeside.com from September 2008 through November 2008.



Lip Gloss Key Chains Recalled on January 27, 2009

The metal clasp attached to the key chain contains high amounts of lead. The key chains were sold at Rite Aid, Kmart, Fred Meyer and Wal-Mart stores nationwide during October 2008.



Spa Factory Aromatherapy Fountain and Bath Benefits Kits Recalled on January 29, 2009

Pressure from the buildup of carbon dioxide in the jars of Bath Bombs/Balls or Bath Fizzies can cause the caps of the jars to blow off, posing explosion and projectile hazards. The mixtures can contain citric acid, which can get into the eyes during the explosion posing a risk of eye irritation. The importer, JAKKS Pacific, Inc., received 88 reports of exploding jars, including reports of 13 injuries such as eye and face injuries. The kits were sold at Sam's Club, Wal-Mart, Target and toy stores nationwide from August 2008 through January 2009.



Builder Construction Play Sets Recalled on January 29, 2009

The surface paint on the play sets contains high amounts of lead. The play sets were sold at home centers, hardware stores and farm stores nationwide from October 2008 through December 2008.

Jewelry

The following is a list of jewelry recalls issued for the months of January 2009.



Jesus Fish Beads Recalled on January 27, 2009

The surface paint on the green fish contains high amounts of lead. The beads were sold online at the Discount School Supply's Web site at www.discountschoolsupply.com from August 2006 through December 2008.



Skull-And-Crossbones Necklaces Recalled on January 29, 2009

The skull and metal clasp on the necklace contain high amounts of lead. The necklaces were sold at Spirit Halloween and Spencer Gift stores nationwide from November 2006 to December 2008.

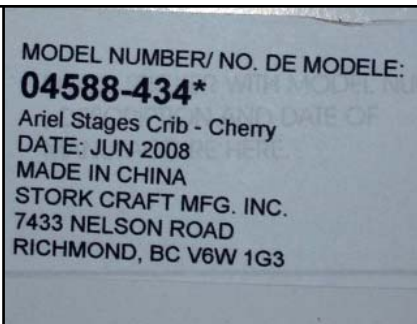
Cribs, Furniture, & Baby Gear

The following is a list of cribs, furniture, and baby gear recalls issued for the months of January 2009.



Flashing Pacifiers Recalled on January 13, 2009

The pieces of the pacifier can separate, posing a choking hazard. The necklaces attached to the pacifiers pose a strangulation hazard. The pacifiers were sold at retail stores in the Los Angeles area from November 2007 through November 2008.



535,000 Stork Craft Baby Cribs Recalled on January 13, 2009

All Stork Craft Baby Cribs with a manufacturing date between May 2000 and November 2008 have been recalled. The manufacturing date is located on the assembly instruction sheet attached to the mattress support board. The firm's insignia, "storkcraft baby," is inscribed on the drop side teething rail of some cribs. The cribs were recalled because the metal support brackets used to support the crib mattress and mattress board can crack and break. When one or more support brackets break, the mattress can collapse and create a dangerous gap between the mattress and crib rails. Children can be trapped in the gap and suffocate.

If you have one of these cribs, stop using it immediately. Contact Stork Craft at 1-866-361-3321 or visit www.storkcraft.com to order the free replacement kit that includes new mattress support brackets. The cribs were sold at major retail stores including J.C. Penney, Kmart and Wal-Mart stores nationwide and online at www.amazon.com, www.babiesrus.com, www.costco.com, www.sears.com and www.walmart.com from May 2000 through January 2009 for between \$100 and \$400.



Jardine Cribs Recalled on June 24, 2008 and Expanded on January 6, 2009

The June 24, 2008 Jardine crib recall has been expanded to include three additional models. The following is a list of all crib model numbers that have been recalled. The model number is printed on the inside of the bottom rail of the headboard or footboard. The wooden crib slats and spindles on these cribs can break, creating a gap, which could pose an entrapment and strangulation hazard to infants and toddlers.

| Model # | Description | First Sold |
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| BC-23 | Drop Side Blue Spindle Crib | 8/2004 |
| BC-36B | Drop Side Light Blue Spindle Crib | 8/2005 |
| BC-36G | Drop Side Sage Spindle Crib | 7/2005 |
| BC-36P | Drop Side Pink Spindle Crib | 7/2005 |
| BC-007 | Hilton Drop Side Cherry Single Crib | 1/2002 |
| BC-010 | Windsor Drop Side Cherry Flat Panel Crib | 1/2002 |
| BC-010C | Windsor Drop Side Cherry Flat Panel Crib | 11/2003 |
| BC-010HP | Windsor Drop Side Oak/Honey Pine Crib | 11/2003 |
| BC-010W | Hilton Drop Side White Full Panel Crib | 7/2002 |
| BC-017 | Windsor Drop Side Dark Pine Single Crib | 1/2002 |
| BC-107C | Hilton Drop Side Cherry Single Crib | 3/2005 |
| BC-107CR | Windsor Cherry Single Sleigh Crib | 4/2007 |
| BC-110C | Berkley Drop Side Cherry Flat Panel Single Crib | 3/2005 |
| BC-110HP | Windsor Drop Side Honey Pine/Honey Single Crib | 3/2005 |
| BC-110W | Berkley Drop Side White Flat Panel Single Crib | 3/2005 |
| DA617BC | Wicker 3-in-1 White Crib | 1/2002 |
| DA620BC | Haven 3-in-1 Oak/Dark Pine Crib | 5/2002 |
| DA770BC | 4-in-1 White Convertible Crib | 1/2004 |
| DV730N | Natural Lifetime Crib | 9/2003 |
| DV730W | White Lifetime Crib | 8/2003 |
| DV830-N | Natural Lifetime Crib | 11/2004 |
| DV830-W | White Lifetime Crib | 11/2004 |
| 0113B00 | Drop Side Natural Spindle Crib | 7/2006 |
| 0113K00 | Drop Side Mahogany Spindle Crib | 6/2006 |
| 0303B00 | Berkley Natural Lifetime Crib | 9/2005 |
| 0303C00 | Berkley White Lifetime Crib | 8/2005 |
| 0303G00 | Berkley Cherry Lifetime Crib | 5/2005 |
| 0309K00 | Positano Mahogany Lifetime Crib | 4/2006 |
| DA715BC | Dark Pine Olympia Lifetime Crib | 2/2004 - 1/2007 |
| 0108L00 | Antique Walnut Capri Single Crib | 7/2006 - 11/2007 |
| 0308C00 | White Capri Lifetime Crib | 12/2005 - 11/2007 |

If you have one of these cribs, stop using it immediately. Contact Jardine at 1-800-646-4106 or visit www.jardinecribre recall.com to receive a full credit toward the purchase of a new crib. The cribs were sold at KidsWorld, Geoffrey stores, Toy "R" Us and Babies "R" Us stores nationwide and online at www.babiesrus.com from January 2002 through January 2009 for between \$150 and \$330. One model, 0309K00 Mahogany Positano Lifetime Crib, retailed for \$450.



200,000 Fisher-Price Rainforest Portable Play Yards Recalled on January 15, 2009

Three models of Fisher-Price Rainforest play yards have been recalled. The model number is located on a sticker on one of the legs underneath the play yard. One or more of the side rails can collapse unexpectedly, posing a fall or entrapment hazard to young children. There have been at least 1,350 reports of one or more of the rails collapsing. There have been 5 reports of serious injuries including a broken nose, a broken wrist, a mild concussion, a cut to the hand that required stitches and a chipped tooth.

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| 5310 RNF |
| 5310 RNFC |
| 5310 RNFW |

If you have one of these play yards, stop using it immediately. Contact Fisher-Price at 1-800-432-5437 or visit www.service.mattel.com to receive a \$100 refund. The play yards were sold by various retailers and at specialty children's stores nationwide from January 2007 through January 2009 for about \$100.



Home Sweet Playhome Canopies Recalled on January 28, 2009

A child's head could get entrapped in the canopy's window openings, posing entrapment and strangulation hazards. The canopies were sold through Land of Nod catalogs, online at www.landofnod.com and at Land of Nod stores in Illinois and Washington state from September 2003 through October 2005.

Clothing

The following is a list of clothing recalls issued for the months of January 2009.



Girl's Blue Denim Passport Jackets with Drawstrings Recalled on January 6, 2009

The jackets have a drawstring through the hood that can pose a strangulation hazard to children. The jackets were sold at T.J. Maxx, J.C. Penney and Forman Mills stores nationwide from August 2007 through December 2007.



Taggies Sleep'n Play Infant Garments Recalled on January 12, 2009

The snaps on these garments can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children. The garments were sold at Babies "R" Us, Buy Buy Baby, Dillards, Nordstrom and other specialty stores nationwide and online from January 2007 through November 2008.



Tony Hawk Boy's Pajama Sets Recalled on January 22, 2009

This sleepwear fails to meet the federal children's sleepwear flammability standard, and poses a risk of burn injury to children. The pajamas were sold at Kohl's Department stores nationwide from September 2008 through October 2008.

Children's Product Recalls

Resources



What You Should Know About Exposure to Lead

What is lead?

- Lead is a metal that is found in many places. You can't always see lead, even when it's present in high amounts in substances like paint, dust or dirt.

What damage is done by lead?

- Lead in the body is not safe at any level. Even very small amounts of lead can permanently damage the brain as it develops. The only way to prevent damage from lead is to prevent exposure to lead.
- Lead makes it harder for a child to learn and causes behavior problems.
- Damage done by small amounts of lead may be hard to see. Most children who get lead in their body do not have any physical symptoms.

Where is lead found?

- Children are often exposed to lead in their own homes and at places they visit.
- Lead was added to paint until 1978. Most older homes have paint that contains lead. In the United States, lead is in paint in:
 - 87 percent of homes built before 1940,
 - 69 percent of homes built from 1940 to 1959 and
 - 24 percent of homes built from 1960 to 1977.
- Lead gets into dust and dirt. Children eat lead by getting lead on their hands and then putting their hands in their mouth.
- High amounts of lead in dust occur when paint is chipping or peeling or when paint is disturbed during repairs.
- Lead is sometimes found in toy jewelry and other products.



What can I do to protect my child?

- Learn if you have lead in your home. Before you sign a lease, ask the landlord about lead. Before you buy a home, have it inspected for lead.
 - If your home was built before 1978 or you don't know when it was built, assume it has lead.
- Painted surfaces should be kept in good repair. Do not disturb paint unless you and your family are protected from the dust that will occur during repairs. Repairs not done safely can make the problem worse. Learn how to protect your family before work begins by getting information from the sources below.
- Have your child's blood lead level checked. A blood lead test at 1 and 2 years of age is required for children who could be exposed to lead. Also, whenever new exposures to lead may have occurred, a blood lead test should be considered.

For more information, please contact:

- Illinois Department of Public Health, phone 866-909-3572 or 217-782-3517 (for hearing impaired use only TTY 800-547-0466)
- Your local health department
- Access information on the Web at <http://sis.nlm.nih.gov/enviro/lead.html>

Blood Lead Testing Clinics in Illinois

Parents and caregivers who are concerned about lead poisoning should talk to their doctor immediately or contact the Illinois Department of Public Health at 1-866-909-3572 (TTY: 1-800-547-0466). The following is a list of public health clinics that offer free or low cost blood lead tests. This information is provided by the Lead Safe Housing Initiative of the Civitas ChildLaw Center, Loyola University Chicago.

ALL KIDS (for children covered by Illinois All Kids Healthcare)
Health Benefits and All Kids Help Line
1-866-ALL-KIDS or
1-866-255-5437
TTY: 1-877-204-1012
www.allkids.com

CHICAGO

Parents can also call the Chicago Department of Public Health at (312) 747-LEAD for more information on where to go to have a child tested for lead.

Englewood Health Clinic

641 W. 63rd Street
(312) 747-7831

Uptown Health Clinic

845 W. Wilson
(312) 744-1938

Roseland Health Clinic

200 E. 115th Street
(312) 747-9500

Lower West Side Health Clinic

1713 S. Ashland
(312) 746-5157

COOK COUNTY

Cook County Department of Public Health

Lead Poisoning Prevention Unit

1010 Lake Street

Oak Park, IL 60301

(708) 492-2076

www.cookcountypublichealth.org

SKOKIE

Skokie Health Department

5127 Oakton Street

Skokie, IL 60077

(847) 673-0500

www.skokie.org/health

STICKNEY

Stickney Public Health Department

6721 W. 40th Street

Stickney, IL 60402

(708) 788-9100

www.stickneypublichealthdistrict.org

KANE COUNTY

Kane County Health Department

1240 N. Highland Avenue

Aurora, IL 60506

(630) 208-3801

www.kanehealth.com

KANKAKEE COUNTY

Kankakee County Health Department

2930 W. Station Street

Kankakee, IL 60901

(815) 937-3560

www.kankakeehealth.org

MACON COUNTY

Macon County Health Department

1221 E. Condit Street

Decatur, IL 62521

(217) 423-6988

www.maconcountyhealth.org

PEORIA COUNTY

Peoria County Health Department

2116 N. Sheridan Road

Peoria, IL 61604

(309) 679-6000

www.peoriacounty.org/pcchd

ROCK ISLAND COUNTY

Rock Island County Health Department

2112 25th Avenue

Rock Island, IL 61201

(309) 793-1955

www.co.rock-island.il.us/health

ST. CLAIR COUNTY

St. Clair County Health Department

19 Public Square, Suite 150

Belleville, IL 62220

(618) 233-7703

www.health.co.st-clair.il.us

SANGAMON COUNTY
Sangamon County Public Health Clinic
2501 N. Dirksen Parkway
Springfield, IL 62702
(217) 535-3102
www.scdph.org

STEPHENSON COUNTY
Stephenson County Health Department
10 W. Linden Street
Freeport, IL 61032
(815) 235-8271
www.co.stephenson.il.us/health

VERMILION COUNTY
Vermilion County Health Department
200 S. College Street, Suite A
Danville, IL 61832
(217) 431-2662
www.vchd.org

WILL COUNTY
Will County Health Department
1106 Neal Avenue
Joliet, IL 60433
(815) 727-8670
www.willcountyhealth.org

WINNEBAGO COUNTY
Winnebago County Health Department
401 Division Street
Rockford, IL 61104
(815) 720-4000
www.wchd.org

Illinois Department of Public Health

Pediatric Lead Poisoning High-Risk ZIP Code Areas

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Resource Guide

For more information on dangerous children's products, please consult the following resources.

Illinois Attorney General's Office

www.IllinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov

Recall Hotline

1-888-414-7678

TTY: 1-800-964-3013

Provides information to consumers on all product recalls.

U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC)

All reports of injuries or incidents related to an unsafe product should be made to the CPSC.

www.cpsc.gov

Recall Hotline

1-800-638-2772

Offers e-mail notification of new recalls. Also provides a listing of all past and present recalls so you can check for recalled items you may already have in your home.

Illinois Department of Public Health

www.idph.state.il.us

Provides a list of recalled children's products.

Kids in Danger

www.kidsindanger.org

Provides a variety of information on child safety and product recalls.

Lead Safe Illinois

www.leadsafeillinois.org

Provides information about lead poisoning and lead poisoning prevention. Lead Safe Illinois can direct consumers to locations that offer blood lead level testing.

Recalls.gov

www.recalls.gov

Provides a comprehensive list of all U.S. Government recalls, including food and drug recalls.

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

www.nhtsa.dot.gov

Provides information regarding recalled children's car seats.